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SPECIAL TAXES

Democratic testimony that the United States tariff will fail by upwards of \$200,000,000 to raise its share of the revenue needed to carry on the government is furnished by the Senate Finance committee which has after numerous hearings, reported a sufficient temporary revenue bill, implying special taxes designed to raise \$200,000,000 revenue.

Probably many Democrats would be reluctant to admit that this means taking out of the pockets of Americans over \$200,000,000 which, under a different tariff could just as well be taken out of the profits of foreigners; although there is much evidence to support that contention, clearly established instances where the whole sale price of the foreign manufacturer has been advanced exactly the amount of the reduction in the tariff so that the American consumer gained nothing from the reduction of the duty. But no Democrat can deny that these special taxes are made necessary by the failure of the United States bill to provide sufficient revenue.

The special taxes are bound to be onerous in many cases. For instance, every theatre or place of amusement which seats 250 must pay a tax of \$50, which seats 500, a tax of \$50, and so on up. All bowling alleys and billiard parlors must pay a special tax of \$5 for each alley and each table. Every mortgage and certificate of indebtedness must pay a sinking tax of 50 cents for every \$500 at account. A form of duty is imposed by special taxes on all goods entering and coming out of custom-houses and bonded warehouses. Steamship and Pullman tickets bear special taxes and many other things, all in addition to doubling the income tax, and imposing heavy taxes on incomes. The House tax on war securities was rejected when it was found it would hit cotton and there was substituted an additional tax on the profits of corporations which, it is expected, will be collected almost entirely in the Northern states.

There is no large corporation in this land that could stand the business methods of the United States. If I am entrusted with the administration of the Executive office I propose that that shall be changed.

"We want to be well prepared, well organized industrially, shaping our policies for the advance of every form of enterprise; looking for proper markets for our surplus while we build up our markets at home; looking in every direction to see where we can faster, not where we can strike down; to see where we can build up, not where we can destroy."—Charles E. Hughes at Portland.

Sunday Services Charleroi Churches

Lutheran

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching services 11. No evening services on account of union services at Washington Avenue Presbyterian church. C. F. Bastian, pastor.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES

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soc, basketball, Fiedler; track, Gibson Hill.

Elsewhere than at Charleroi in the Monongahela valley high schools are actively preparing for a good season. Among other strong teams will be Monessen, Donora and Monongahela.

MOTORISTS COMPLAIN OF OIL ALONG STATE HIGHWAYS

Numerous complaints have been made by tourists in regard to the condition of the National pike from Beallsville to Uniontown. Tar and oil that is being placed on the road is causing this annoyance. The officials of the state highway department claim that the preparation will be dry in seven days but autoists claim that it has already been on the road for over a week and is far from being dry. The main trouble is that the spots cannot be removed from soiled clothing resulting from travel on the section of the road that is being improved.

Knock and the world knocks with you,
Boost and you boost alone;
When you roast good and loud,
You'll find that the crowd
Has a hammer as big as your own.
Buy and the gang is with you,
Buy and the game's all off;
For the lad with the thirst,
Will see you first,
If you don't proceed to cough.
Be flush and your friends are many,
Be broke and they'll say "ta-ta";
When your bank oil burns,
You'll get returns;
When its out you'll get "ha-ha."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Them See-More Shirts.
Sir, I don't wear much, I'll agree—
I speak of Mildred Meggs:
And what the soft clothes you can see
That she has in your store.
—Lida M. L.

With the new art of usefulness
comes the art of that fine lady who
is to be a manufacturer—her
new hat out of the crepe she had two
suns ago before.

Some of my neighbors said it
wasn't worth the trouble, but
others because they haven't any
neighbors, say it will even look
promising to a blight.

In spite of the United States
negligence of the paper shortage
there appears no diminution in the
paper advertising matter the water
works are now with awaiting our
for prospective publication.

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Junior High School

Teacher Subject
Ella M. Work Civics & Penmanship
Mina Houseman English
Frances Corder Physiology & Music
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Florence Montgomery Geography

High School

S. R. Grimm Latin
Muriel Scott Latin
Rosetta Rodgers Science
C. P. McCormick Science
Margaret Laird English
Effie M. Parker English
Alice Bastian Mathematics
Ida Hugg Mathematics
Edna McMasters German
C. E. Presho Bookkeeping And Penmanship

Zella Franks Shorthand And Typewriting

Carolyn Bowman Domestic Science
G. Frank Malick Manual Training
I. T. Daniel Music
Percy E. Drew History & Coach

RETIRING FARMERS.

Land Values, Not Agriculture, as a Rule, Make Them Rich.

The country is pretty liberally sprinkled with retired farmers, but a correspondent points out that in nearly every case they have probably retired not as farmers, but as land-owners—that is, the capital which enabled them to retire accrued not from the profits of farming, but from the enhanced value of farm land. There are about 2,500,000 retired farmers, but a retired tenant farmer, we believe, is a very rare bird. About as rare a bird, we imagine, is the farmer who has accumulated from the profits of his farming operations a sufficient capital on which to retire.

The profits of farming, of course, constantly capitalize themselves in the market value of farm lands, and the rental value rises proportionately with the farm. A man may have taken a half section of Kansas land thirty years ago and actually spent since then every cent of it produced, yet now be able to retire in very comfortable circumstances. Indeed, through poor management, he may not have made a dollar net on the farm. That particular farm may even be producing no more than it produced thirty years ago, and still the owner may be able to retire.

It is true, therefore, that the number of retired farmers is no indication of the amount of net savings from farming operations. — Saturday Evening Post.

INTERRUPTED THE SERMON.

A Beecher Father and Son Incident In Old Plymouth Church.

Rev. Charles R. Brown in the Congregationalist relates an interesting incident of the past in which Henry Ward Beecher, the famous minister of Plymouth church, and his venerable and hardly less distinguished father figured.

Many years ago, he says, one of my friends was present in Plymouth church when the incident occurred. It was in the days when Lyman Beecher had come to make his home with his illustrious son, and every Sunday he was in the pastor's pew. One morning Henry Ward Beecher was unfolding some aspect of the new theology, as he had come to hold it, when suddenly up rose Lyman Beecher, saying, "Henry, may I say a word just there?"

Beecher paused in his sermon and, with a look of filial affection, at once responded, "Certainly, father; say on."

Then Lyman Beecher turned to the congregation and said, "Henry puts it that way, but it is not that way; it is this way." And he proceeded to state the truth as he saw it.

Henry Ward Beecher stood listening to his father, with an expression on his face that blessed the listening, wondering congregation more than many a sermon. And when Lyman Beecher had concluded he paid a beautiful tribute to his father's influence upon his own life and then resumed his sermon where he had been interrupted.

Emmett's Presence of Mind.

A story is told of Robert Emmet which proves his secretive power and resolution. He was fond of studying chemistry, and one night late, after the family had gone to bed, he swallowed a large quantity of corrosive sublimate in mistake for some acid cooling powder. He immediately discovered his mistake and knew that death must shortly ensue unless he instantly swallowed the only antidote, chalk. Timid men would have torn at the bell, roused all the family and sent for a stomach pump. Emmet called no one, made no noise, but, stealing down stairs and unlocking the front door, went into the stable, scraped some chalk which he knew to be there and took sufficient doses of it to neutralize the poison.

Your Tramping Companion.

He may be all right in the city, a pleasant chap to lunch with and a good companion for an evening at the club, but beware of taking him along on a fortnight's hike through the woods or a cruise in a twenty-five footer. Test him thoroughly before you give him the chance to spoil your vacation. He may be grouchy before breakfast, or be may be a plain shirker. Possibly the thin veneer of civilization conceals the primordial bog.—Orning.

Electric Light.

The basic discovery of the possibility of electric light was made by Sir Humphry Davy in 1810, but for the next fifty years the developments were solely scientific and no practical use was made of them. In 1862, however, an arc light was installed in a light-house at Dungeness, and this is generally believed to be the first electric lamp in regular service.

Conscience Money.

A West Virginia man sent a farmer \$3 in payment for a watermelon he stole fifteen years ago. If every boy that ever lived in the country were to develop a conscience like that the farmers would own most of the money in the world.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Different Route.

"How far is it to Guildford?" "Well, zur, as the crow flies, I should say it be ten miles."

"But if the crow were riding a bicycle how far would it be?"—Pall Mall Gazette.

Proof.

"How do you know she's older than you are?"

"Why, she admitted it herself. She said 'You and I are just the same age, dearies!'"—Cleveland Leader.

REFUSING RICHES.

Chances For Making Fortunes Have Often Been Turned Aside.

It is not an easy thing to say "No" to wealth when it is offered in hand-fuls, but there are people who have done it. In the eighties the best known and most popular actress in the world, Ida Rubinstein, was Mary Anderson, an Amerian who was as good as she was beautiful.

At twenty-eight she married and has never since been turned out of her retirement except for a charity performance. In the hope of inducing her to go on the stage again an enterprising American manager offered her \$10,000 for a season of thirty weeks—a fortune in itself. The lady refused.

Calve was offered \$10,000 a week to go on the vaudeville stage. Her work was to consist of singing four songs at a matinee and two in the evening—each worth out at about \$100 a song. She also refused.

Jack Daniels, who in the early days of wireless won worldwide fame by sticking to his post on a sinking liner and braving a leap from the four quarters, was offered ridiculous sums to appear on the music hall stage and show "how it was done." His reply was that he was an electrician and not an actor. So he "turned down" a fortune.

Mr. Gladstone refused several fortunes from enterprising publishers. He would only write what he wanted and when he wanted. Browning was the same.—London Answers.

SHAKESPEARE AND SLANG.

Later Day Phrases That Were Used by the Immortal Bard.

"Good night," a terse ejaculation that has taken ranking position among the slang of the day, had its source in no less authority than Will Shakespeare. It took a Hamilton college student to discover that the magic words were frequently used in Shakespeare's plays and with as much variety of meaning as we have been giving to them.

"The idea that 'good night' has the mark of modernity," declares this student, "is a sad mistake. In act 1, scene 3, of the first part of 'King Henry IV,' Worcester says he will die—'the matter of Hotspur which is as full of peril to o'erwalk a current roaring loud on the eastward foot of a spear.' To which Hotspur replies, 'If I fall in, good night.'

Many other bits of modern vernacular are from Shakespeare, the student says, among them "Go to it," "You cheese!" "I am for you," "Dead drunk" and plenty of others.

And regarding that once very favorite phrase, "Bear it," the student says this: "Every one from a former president to a newsboy has made use of these two words. Yet in act 2, scene 1, of 'The Comedy of Errors' Luciana exclaims: 'Fie! Beat it hence!'—Hartford Courant.

The Indignant Mandrill.

The blue-faced mandrill which, or who, has ended an unhappy life in his solitary cage at the zoo was a victim to the human sense of humor. He had a long, broad, light blue nose with a pink stripe down the middle. The nose always caused a laugh. And when, in acute irritation, he turned his back upon the inevitable guffaw the bright blue thighs, edged with rose color, raised a new shout of delight. He knew perfectly well that the laugh was the laugh of derision, the third and lowest of the forms of human fun. He visibly hated his visitors. Nature had so colored him to enchant the eyes of a mate, but men have other eyes than hers. Swift in his days of failure and despair might have looked with the look of the indignant mandrill.—London Chronicle.

Blending the Odors.

It has been proved that two odors which do not seem to have anything in common, that of putrefied cheese and that of pineapple, are so closely allied from the chemical standpoint that it takes but a few minutes to transform an intense stench into a sweet fragrance. This curious experiment is easily made and requires but a small amount of three chemicals—valeric acid, sulphuric acid and amylic alcohol. Care must be taken not to spill over the fingers or dress any drop of the first two named liquids. Sulphuric acid is exceedingly caustic, and the stench of valeric acid, besides being unendurable, is very difficult to get rid of.—London Family Herald.

None of the Shop For Her.

Butcher—"Ow is my daughter gettin' on with her music, professor?"

Professor—"Well, I'm only teaching her the scales at present."

Butcher (indignantly)—"Teachin' her the scales! I don't want her to know nothin' about the scales. She ain't goin' to serve in the shop. I mean her to be a lady. Teach her the plannin' or I'll take her away from yer."—London Mail.

Different Matter.

"I'm trying to sell that house I bought last year. I thought it would be an easy matter, but it isn't."

"What made you think it would be easy?"

"Well, the agent didn't have any trouble selling it to me."—Exchange.

Advice Concerning the Baby.

If the baby is pretty tell the mother that it is the very image of her; if it looks like something the cat dragged in intimate that it takes strongly after the old man.—Columbia State.

Thought works in silence; so does virtue. One might erect statues to dearies.—Carlyle.

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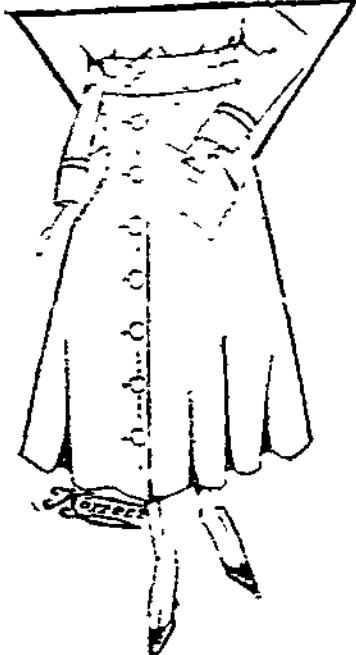
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1-2 Price Wash Skirt Sale 1-2 Price

We have purchased the surplus stock of "Korrect Shrunk" Wash Skirts, from S. Korach & Co., makers of the famous "Korrect" Skirts, at about 50c on the dollar.

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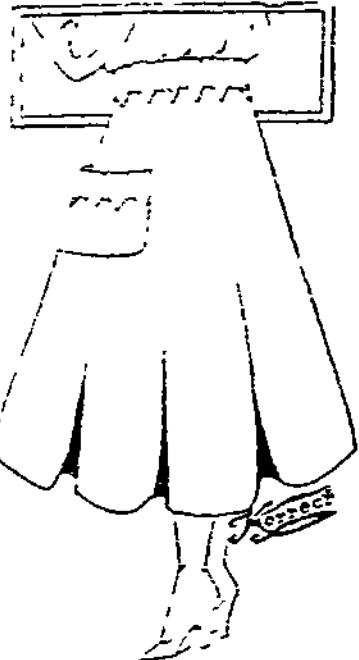


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RACING PROGRAM SANDY PLAINS FAIR

MILLSBORO, PA.

AUGUST 22, 23 and 24

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1916
No. 1—Pace Horses never started for money
2 in 3 \$200
No. 2—2-22 Trot \$250
No. 3—2-27 Trot \$250
No. 4—2-15 Pace \$250
No. 5—Run 1-2 Mile Dash \$75

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1916
No. 6—Trot Horses never started for money,
2 in 3 \$200
No. 7—2-22 Pace \$250
No. 8—2-27 Pace \$250
No. 9—2-15 Trot \$250
No. 10—Run One mile dash \$100

Ever Have It?

If You Have, the Statement of This Charleroi Woman Will Interest You
Ever have a "low-down" pain in the back?

In the "small," right over the hips? That's the home of backache. If it's caused by weak kidneys, use Doan's Kidney Pills. Charleroi people testify to their worth. Read a case of it: Mrs. B. Mahoney, 823 McLean avenue, Charleroi, says: "For a long time one of the family complained of pains across the back and any bending caused sharp twinges to dart through the body. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper's Bros. Drug Store, soon relieved the pain in the back and brought benefit in every way. I have also taken Doan's Kidney Pills and they have helped me very much."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Mahoney had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

AMONG THE THEATRES

EOYLE—CHARLEROI

The past week has been one containing unusually attractive pictures at the Coyle theatre. On Monday William Fox's splendid production "The Beast" was the attraction featuring George Welsh. "The World's Greatest Snare" was presented Tuesday Pauling Frederick playing the leading role in her usually pleasing manner. Wednesday's program contained "The Quitter" a picture which would please any audience. Lionel Barrymore acted the leading part. Myrtle Stedman was featured on Thursday in "The American Beauty". Billie Burke is to be featured this evening in the weekly chapter of "Gloria's Romance" and for Saturday "The Yoke of Gold" presenting Dorothy Davenport in a pleasing play. For Monday of this coming week Manager Coyle announces that Theda Bara will be the attraction in "Under Two Flags."

MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

One of the most pleasing films of this week at the Majestic Theatre was that presented as a benefit for the Salvation Army building fund on Thursday night. On this special occasion, when twenty-five per cent of the proceeds were given to the Salvation Army by Manager Sweeney, Warren Kerrigan was featured in "The Gay Lord Waring." On Monday a big Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature was presented by the Majestic. This was "The Daring of Diana," a production staged by Albert J. Smith and J. Stuart Blackton. Anita Stewart was featured in the cast, with a company of stars to support her. On the coming Saturday "Hesper of the Mountains" will be a Blue Ribbon feature, and on Monday Sturt Blackton and Albert E. Smith will present a late release, "The Tarantula."

PALACE—CHARLEROI

Extraordinary good programs were presented at the Palace Theatre during the week. The leading feature for the first part of the week was Marcell, one of vaudeville's cleverest female impersonators. Grady

pals entertained in a singing, dancing and comedy act. Smith and Evans comedians, pleased at all times. The chief pictures that were presented were the "Barrier of Race" a three part Buffalo western drama featuring Evan August and the "Two Waifs" featuring Mary Fuller. For the latter part of the week Hugh Blainey, baritone and yodeler was heartily applauded. Williams and Barnes the chemists of comedy gave a very pleasing singing and dancing act. Stan Stanley the Australian entertainer pleased the crowd. Mary Pickford was presented in her first western dramatic success "The Wisdom of the White Man."

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—Prosperous baking business, 639 Fallowfield avenue. Bell phone 56-6. 51-16p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 769 Mail office. 51-1fp

WANTED—Truck driver. Must be experienced. Good wages to right man. Apply Universal Ice and Cold Storage Company, Monongahela. 51-1f

WANTED—Eight roomed house with bath. Suitable for two couple. Send address to 771 Mail office. 53-13p

WANTED—Washwoman by the day or girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Birken, 620 McLean. 53-13

WANTED—A first-class colored laundress. Apply 770 Mail office. 52-1f

WANTED—House maid for general housekeeping for family of three. Address 629 Fallowfield avenue, City. 53-13

WANTED—Five or six room house, with bath, between Third and Sixth on Washington, Crest, Meadow or Fallowfield. If a bargain, address R. X. L. Mail and give street number of your property. 54-12p

LOST—Ten dollar bill between Green Stamp Parlor and Lincoln avenue. Reward of returned to Anna Moore, 1009 Lincoln avenue. 55-1fp

LOST—Stock certificate No. 480, Great Southern Oil and Gas company. Finder kindly return to Mrs. Laura Eckel, 405 Fallowfield avenue. 55-12p

FOR SALE—Dining table and chairs. Call 223 C Independent Phone. 55-13

FOR SALE—2 bed room suits, gas range and table. 314 Fallowfield avenue. 55-13

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WEATHER SCIENCE

It is Good as Far as It Goes, but It Doesn't Go Far Enough.

SECRETS HIDDEN IN THE SUN.

Changes in Intensity and Quality of Solar Rays Cause Effects That Bother Meteorologists—Why Forecasts of Experts Often Go Awry.

The most imperfect science is meteorology. The margin of error in its calculations is sometimes enormous—sufficient to completely reverse a prediction.

The weather bureau is a useful institution, based upon an incomplete system of correlated facts of observation, which are scientific as far as they go. But there are elements concerned in the production of weather about which the methods of meteorology give no information.

There are birds, insects and four-footed animals which have an incomparably greater foreknowledge of weather changes than the entire scientific corps of the agricultural department possesses.

When the predictors of the weather bureau give warning of an approaching storm, they act on very much the same principle as that on which a railroad time table is based. A train having been announced by telegraph as started on a given line will arrive in regular succession at certain points along that line, and a station agent at any given point can, if no accident intervenes, foretell the moment of the train's arrival at his station.

Storm centers, or cyclones, moving across the country are in some ways comparable to trains following a time schedule. But unfortunately they do not run on rails, they are not driven by an invariable force, they are subject to interruptions and obstacles of many kinds, and instead of always keeping the track and following the course they frequently wander vaguely about or take an unexpected turn or else fade away like exhausted whirls in water.

In fact, the weather bureau predictors are in the same quandary in which train dispatchers would find themselves if railroad trucks were shifting lines, continually drifting this way and that, getting crossed and entangled or sinking into suddenly formed quagmires and thus disappearing for good.

Meteorology as a science of weather prediction fails just because it possesses too few facts. With the aid of the telegraph, the weather bureau can, if lucky, follow the trail of a storm center across the United States, but it cannot tell just how a new storm is born nor just when or where it will begin its course.

The one only great fact on which it bases its whole system of prediction is the general tendency of cyclonic disturbances in this country to travel eastward with a northerly trend, while storms originating around the gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean sea usually come up the coast.

But the official weather prognosticators are as much in the dark as the ordinary citizen concerning what is going to happen in the atmosphere next week, and they really know nothing about any storm until after it has begun its career, and then all that they know is the course that it will take—in case it doesn't happen to change its mind.

A slight variation in the intensity, or quality, of the radiation received from the sun might account for sudden changes or abnormal weather, and recent investigations show that such variations occur, but what is needed is more accurate knowledge about them and their effects. Heat and light are only two of an infinite number of forms of vibration sent to us from the sun. Everybody knows that when the weather records show that two days are precisely alike in temperature, in humidity, etc., human nerves prove that they are vastly unlike in some unnameable peculiarity which affects the springs of life.

The spider busily and confidently spinning her webs in preparation for a spell of fine weather, which some unerring mechanism of foreknowledge within her enables her to detect, is a surer guide than a barometer. She responds to vibrations as yet only guessed at by science, and so perhaps do the supersensitive nerves of many human creatures.—Garrett P. Serviss in New York Journal.

Glass Cups.

The first glass cups were made at Alexandria. Some were colored like Bohemian glass and decorated with glass pastes, imitating precious stones and cameos. Some were opaline, others clear as crystal and still others formed of opaque layers welded together like the famous Portland vase, in which the white upper layer had been cut away like a cameo, leaving a blue ground around the figures.

Waters.

"If you are looking for bargains," said the broker, "I can suit you. I can offer you some stocks at 10 cents a share."

"But why are they so cheap?" demanded the lady shopper.

"You see, they have been slightly damaged by water."

A Sable Philosopher.

"Don't go ter growlin' kaze de rollin' world don't turn ter look at you. Ef it did it might be disapp'nted an' you'd hear it sayin', 'Ter think dat I got ter give de likes er dat a free ride 'round de sky'—Atlanta Constitution.

He that lives upon hope will die fast—Franklin.

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Auditors' Report OF School District of Borough of Charleroi

The Auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, to audit the accounts of the School District of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1916, filed their report in the Prothonotary's Office on the 5th day of August, 1916, and notice is hereby given that the same will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after filing thereof, and further that the following is a concise summary or statement of the same, including the assets and liabilities of the district, to wit:

JULY 1st 1915 CASH IN TREASURY. \$ 740.35

1910 TAXES
July 1st 1915 Uncollected 1,711.93
Collections 23.70
Exonerations 1,516.19
Uncollected 172.04

1911 TAXES
July 1st 1915 Uncollected 1,549.58
Collections 53.95
Exonerations 1,249.78
Uncollected 245.85

1912 TAXES
July 1st 1915 Uncollected 1,803.70
Collection 325.69
Exonerations 1,158.37
Liens entered 65.77
Uncollected 253.87

1913 TAXES
July 1st 1915 Uncollected 2,552.15
Collections 909.48
Exonerations 1,255.44
Liens entered 2.36
Uncollected 789.61

1914 TAXES
July 1st 1915 Uncollected 5,436.89
Added to duplicate 7.90
Collections 3,361.47
Exonerations 1,291.35
Liens entered 2.36
Uncollected 2,654.10

1915 TAXES
Face of duplicate 52,689.40
Collections at face 43,954.72

Oct 1st 1915 Uncollected 8,734.68
Oct 1st 1915 5 per cent added 445.54

Collections 9,180.22
Exonerations 6,216.00
Uncollected 310.12

Liens collected 2,654.10
Tuition 169.35
State Appropriation 5,835.80
Demand loans 8,073.07
Bond Issue and Premium 17,500.00
Interest on daily balances 26,475.83

Play Grounds 228.85
Miscellaneous 819.72
July 1st 1915 Taxes due from Collector 526.72

845.71
\$114,981.48

EXPENDITURES
Teachers' Salaries 39,235.88
Addition to Crest Avenue Bldg. 2,457.25
Bonds paid 7,000.00
Interest on bonds 5,850.00
Loans and interest 8,717.50
Institute 784.50

Tax collector commission 1,436.94
Printing and Telephones 414.38
Fuel, Light, Water, and Power 2,152.74
Janitors' and all other salaries 6,221.25
Text Books 1,934.25
Supplies other than text books 1,066.20
General Supplies 2,780.61

Repairs and Furnishings 4,281.98
Play Grounds 432.04
Miscellaneous 1,218.69

85,979.21
29,002.27
\$114,981.48

July 1st 1916 Balance in Treasury 29,002.27

RESOURCES
Cash in Treasury 29,002.27
Tax Liens 346.04
1910-1915 Uncollected taxes 4,500.34

June 1916 Tax Collections 578.93
Tuition 1,157.70
Over paid teachers Salary 50

Text Books, supplies, etc. 4,000.00
Bills receivable 78.09
Real Estate, Buildings and Furnishings 302,457.25

1.58
12,500.00
36,000.00
6,500.00
20,000.00
67,000.00
26,000.00

174,119.54 \$342,121.12

LIABILITIES
July 1st 1915 overpayment by tax collector
Demand Loans
1904 Bonds
1906 Bonds
1907 Bonds
1912 Bonds
1916 Bonds

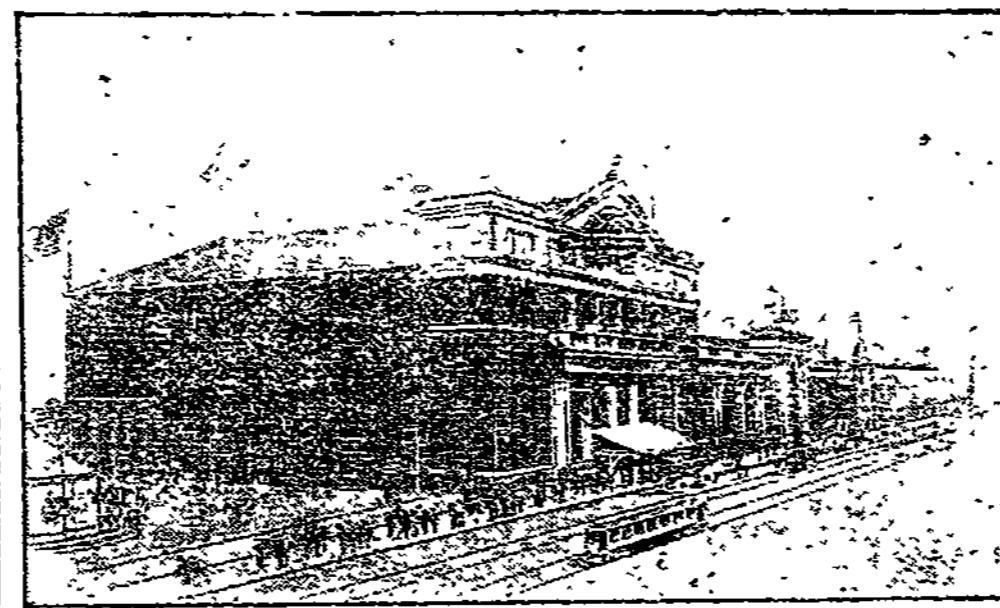
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Prothonotary's Office
August 5, 1916.

A. V. Lewis,
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WAR NEWS BY WIRELESS WILL BE RECEIVED AT PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION; BEGINS AUG. 30

Twenty-Eighth Season of Western Pennsylvania's Great Industrial Display Will Be Held on Historic Grounds



PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION BUILDINGS ON SITE OF FORT DUQUESNE

With the flutter of flags, the sparkle of a myriad of lights and the crashing chords of orchestral music, the 1916 Western Pennsylvania Exposition—an exposition transformed by complete reconstruction—will ring wide the gates of its million-dollar buildings at the Point, Pittsburgh, the evening of August 30 for its twenty-eighth annual season, which will continue until October 14.

A new and youthful spirit will permeate the big Western Pennsylvania fair this fall. Splendid exhibits are being brought across the continent from the international expositions in San Francisco and San Diego, Calif. to be set up in its halls. At a cost of thousands of dollars the main exposition building, Machinery Hall and Exposition Music Hall are being completely redecorated, without and within, for the coming season. Revolutionary changes have been made in the arrangement of the floor plan of the two exhibit structures. The historic Point itself, jutting out into the meeting of the waters, has been made into a park.

In harmony with this progressive spirit, the exposition concert season, which, as in former seasons, will comprise two programs each afternoon and evening, will be of unusual distinction. Fifty musicians of the Philadelphia Orchestra will play the opening concert, from August 30 to September 9, under the baton of Wassili Lepis, who ranks with the foremost American conductors and composers, and some of the greatest symphonic compositions will star those first programs.

Following the engagement of Lepis and his orchestra, Arthur Pryor, who graduated from John Philip Sousa's band, to direct a band of his own and rival the fame of his old conductor, will take the platform in the vast music hall for two weeks, beginning September 11 and concluding September 23. stirring marches, lilting melodies and works of classic standard will be blended in his programs.

One other band and two orchestras of national fame will be heard at the exposition ere the season closes, giving exposition patrons this year opportunity to hear five musical organizations instead of four, as last.

Powerful wireless instruments will link the 1916 exposition with the capitals of Europe. The gleaming wires of the aerial will be strung high above Machinery Hall, and within the glass-walled building the receivers will flash and sputter with war news direct from Berlin and other trans-Atlantic cities. Great radiograms will be posted in the hall as the messages are translated. The exposition wireless station will be installed by special permission of the United States government and will enjoy all the privileges of the federal stations.

There will be displays of art, domestic science and industrial training work by the school children of Pittsburgh, exhibitions of the fall and winter fashions, civic and artistic exhibits of many varieties, mechanical demonstrations showing the ingenuity of modern inventors, and innumerable complimentary features completing the most comprehensive and most attractive exposition ever held at the Point.

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Beginning August 21, 1916, this shop will open at 7 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. and on Saturday open from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m.

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